

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT****IN THE SPECIFICATION:**On Line 3, Page 3, insert:**-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS**

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This application is a Continuation of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/164,473 entitled "ELECTRONIC AMUSEMENT DEVICE AND METHOD FOR ENHANCED SLOT MACHINE PLAY" filed in the name of Jay S. Walker et al.. --

**IN THE CLAIMS:**Please cancel claims 2-49 without prejudice.**R E M A R K S**

This amendment is being submitted before the receipt of a first Office Action. Claims 2-49 have been canceled without prejudice to pursue in another application. Please calculate the filing fees due based on the claims as amended herein.

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